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Letter dated 1 November 1999 from the President of the Economic and Social Council addressed to the Chairperson of the Commission on the Status of Women

I should like to draw your attention to the outcome of the July 1999 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council. As mandated by the General Assembly in resolution 50/227, the Council has continued to make efforts to strengthen its coordination and oversight roles vis-à-vis its subsidiary bodies. It is important that the policy recommendations adopted by the Council be taken into account in the work of its subsidiary bodies. I therefore would appreciate it if efforts could be made to systematically follow up on the policy decisions adopted by the Council.

The policy recommendations adopted by the Council specifically addressed to the functional commission are contained in Council resolutions 1999/35 of 28 July 1999, 1999/51 of 29 July 1999 and 1999/55 of 30 July 1999 and the ministerial communiqué of the high-level segment of the Council, dated 7 July 1999. I would be grateful if you could bring these provisions to the attention of your Commission and take the necessary action to implement them. Thank you for your cooperation in these matters, which will further enhance the coordination of the work of the Council and its subsidiary bodies.

(*Signed*) F. Paolo **Fulci**

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